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# COMMERCIAL NURSERY CO.,

Growers of High-Grade NURSERY STOCK

DECHERD, TENNESSEE

## CHOICE SMALL FRUITS

### CHERRIES



Montmorency

### PLUMS

	each	doz.
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$0.75	\$8.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	.50	5.00

**RED JUNE**—Large red plum of good quality. Vigorous, upright grower, good size, productive, vermillion red. June.

**ABUNDANCE**—Medium to large, yellow crimson, juicy and good. Thrives everywhere. A regular and heavy bearer. July.

**BURBANK**—Large clear cherry red. Most profitable market variety; ripens about ten days earlier than Abundance. Tree hardy, spreading vigorous and productive. Bears young.

**SATSUMA**—Large round dark purple. Flesh blood red. Tree vigorous grower and prolific.

**WICKSON**—Very large, crimson, thick bluish bloom; flesh yellow, solid, meaty, sweet, cling.

**DAMSON, SHROPSHIRE**—One of the favorite Damsons. Fruit oval; tree a good grower and enormously productive; fruit of medium size produced in thick clusters or groups, dark purple color, esteemed for preserving.



Burbank

3 1/2 to 5 ft. ....  
3 to 4 ft. ....

**BLACK TARTARIAN**—Very large purplish black, heart shaped; flesh mild and sweet, and quality excellent. Good market sort. Ripens in July.

**MONTMORENCY**—A fine, large, light red Cherry of the Richmond class, but larger and more upright grower, equally hardy and productive.

**EARLY RICHMOND**—Fruit medium size, dark red, melting, juicy; sprightly acid flavor and espe-

cially valuable for cooking purposes; tree an early and abundant bearer.

**GOVERNOR WOOD**—Large round, heart-shaped; yellow mottled with red, is sweet, juicy, delicious; tree healthy, vigorous, great bearer.

**MAY DUKE**—A large, light red cherry of most excellent quality. They are between a sweet and a sour cherry. Fine for canning.

### GRAPES

#### Bunch Varieties

Each 40c; doz., \$4.00

**MOORE'S EARLY**—Large, black, extra early. Berries large, good quality, and makes a moderate yield.

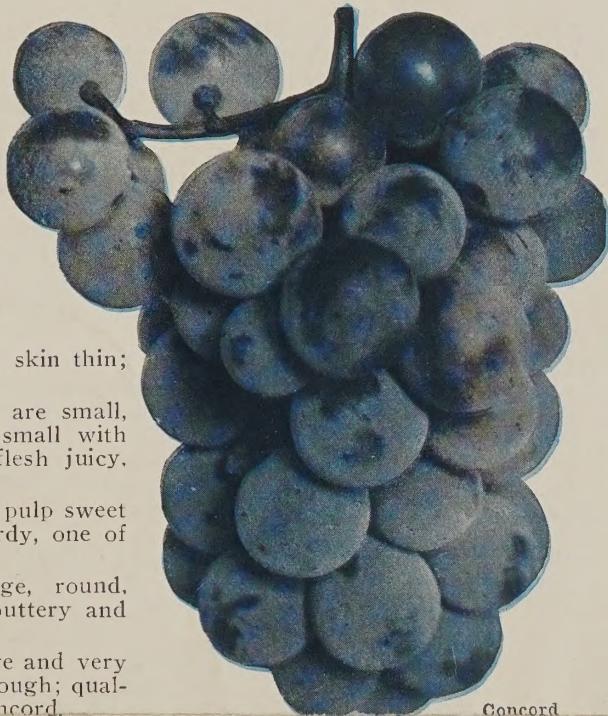
**CAMPBELL'S EARLY**—Fine, large black, early. Berries rich, sweet, very good; skin thin; seeds few and small.

**DELAWARE**—Bunches are small, compact; berries are small with thin but firm skin; flesh juicy, very sweet.

**LUTIE**—Fine, dull red, pulp sweet and delicious, very hardy, one of the best.

**CONCORD**—Berry large, round, almost black, juicy, buttery and very sweet.

**NIAGARA**—White, large and very hardy. Skin thin but tough; quality much like the Concord.



Concord

### RASPBERRIES

Doz. \$1.50; Per 100, \$7.00

**GREGG**—Black, hardy, very good.

**CUTHBERT**—Red, good market kind.

### MULBERRIES

4 to 6 ft., each 60c; doz., \$7.00

**BLACK ENGLISH**—Everbearing. Valuable for fruit and ornamental.

### BLACKBERRIES

Doz., \$1.50; Per 100, \$7.00

**EARLY HARVEST**—Small, early, sweet.

**ELDORADO**—Born in large clusters. Black.

### DEWBERRIES

Doz., \$1.50; Per 100, \$7.00

**LUCRETIA**—Large, sweet and prolific, running. Plants should be staked.

### SCUPPERNONG FAMILY

Each 60c; Doz., \$6.00.

**JAMES**—Very valuable. The largest of the Muscadine group, berries often measuring  $\frac{3}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches in diameter; prolific; black, juicy, sweet. Has taken premiums wherever exhibited.

**SCUPPERNONG**—Muscadine type. Bunches composed of very large berries, bronze-colored when fully ripe; flesh pulpy, sweet, with peculiar, agreeable, musky flavor; quality excellent. One of the oldest and

best varieties of the Muscadine Grapes in cultivation.

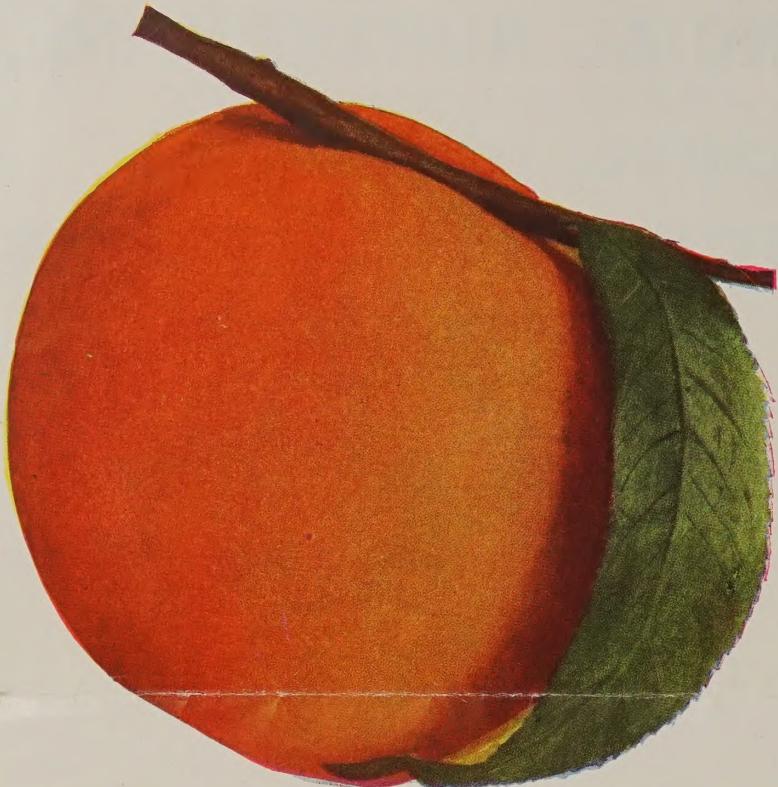
**THOMAS**—Belongs to the Muscadine type, and one of the best of its class. Color reddish purple; pulp sweet, tender. Very largely planted.

**FLOWERS**—Bunches composed of large clusters of purplish black berries; sweet, vinous, good quality. Late.

# FOR ORCHARD OR

## Plenty of Fruit Aids Health

### CHOICE VARIETIES OF PEACHES



J. H. Hale

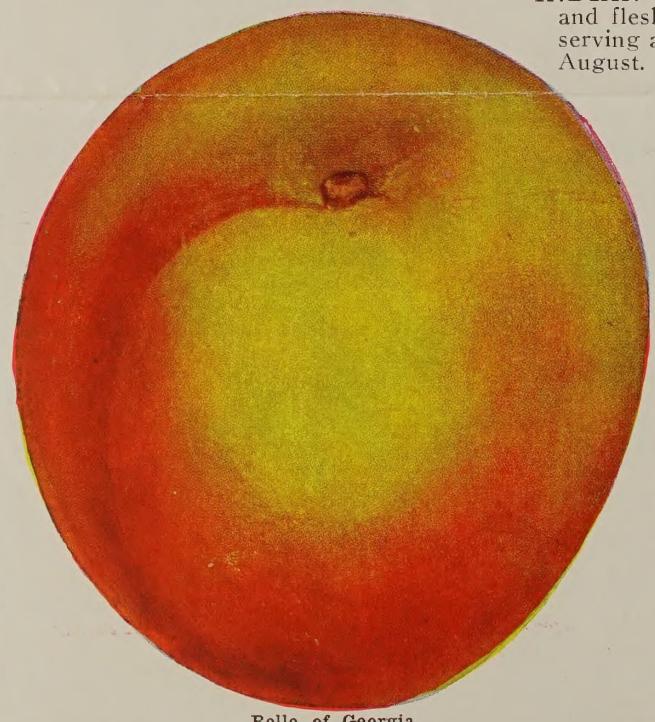
**BELLE OF GEORGIA**—One of the best. Large, white, with red cheek; flesh white, firm and excellent flavor. Tree a rapid grower and very productive. July.

**J. H. HALE**—Very large showy yellow peach. Ripens about five days after Elberta, and is considered by many to have a superior flavor. Excellent keeper and shipper. July, free-stone.

**ELBERTA**—Large reddish yellow. It is hardy, a sure bearer, and very prolific. Flesh yellow, firm, juicy, and of high quality.

**HEATH CLING** (Cling)—Very large, creamy-white, with delicate red blush; flesh white, slightly red at the pit; tender, juicy and sweet; a valuable sort for canning and one that commands fancy prices in all markets.

**EARLY ELBERTA** (Free)—Larger than Elberta; bright yellow with red blush; flesh yellow, finer grained and sweeter than Elberta; good shipper. Tree strong grower, hardy, good bearer.



Belle of Georgia

	each	doz.	100
4 to 5 ft. ....	\$0.50	\$5.00	\$25.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	.40	4.00	20.00
2 to 3 ft. ....	.30	3.00	15.00

Plant 15 to 20 feet each way.

**MAYFLOWER**—The earliest peach. Trees hardy and productive. Fruit medium size, bright crimson color.

**ARP BEAUTY**—Medium size, fine yellow June peach. Semi-cling. Hardy and productive. Color light orange mottled and blushed with red.

**RED BIRD**—Firm red peach. Flesh yellow, rich, fine grained and juicy. Tree hardy, vigorous grower. Cling.

**CRAWFORD'S LATE** (Free)—Large, roundish oval, yellow with broad red cheeks; flesh yellow with red at pit; melting, vinous and very good. Late September.

**CARMAN**—Yellowish white, flecked with red, flesh creamy white; tender and melting; rich, sweet and superior flavor. A big, early, yellow-skinned Peach of high quality. Is sure to be in great demand. August.

**GOLDEN JUBILEE**—A large yellow Peach of the Elberta type, very recently became the most popular early yellow peach. It ripens three weeks earlier than Elberta and is of better quality. The skin is yellow blushed with red; flesh yellow, juicy, tender, sweet, free-stone. A distinct advantage of the Golden Jubilee is that it ripens early and escapes the Oriental Peach Moth.

**CHINESE CLING**—Large yellowish white, shaded with red. August.

**INDIAN CLING**—An old favorite. Skin and flesh blood red, excellent for preserving and pickling. Trees very hardy. August.



Elberta

**BRACKETT**—Very large yellow peach. A few days later than Elberta.

**SALWAY**—Large deep yellow, red cheek, flesh deep yellow, juicy, rich, sweet. October. Valuable because of being one of the latest varieties and is also one of the best sort for canning and preserving.

#### ASPARAGUS

Doz., 50c; per 100, \$2.50

The earliest and finest of Spring vegetables, and profitable. Plant the roots 15 to 18 inches apart, spread the roots out well, firm the soil about them and leave the crowns about 2 inches below soil. Start cutting second year.

#### CURRANTS

Each 35c; doz., \$3.50

**FAY'S PROLIFIC**—Leading red market variety; extra large stem and berries uniform in size, easily picked, very productive. The demand always exceeds the supply.

#### FIGS

Each 50c; doz., \$5.00

**BROWN TURKEY**—Fine old variety. Large.

**CELESTE**—Small to medium, violet colored. Very good.

#### GOOSEBERRIES

Each 35c; doz., \$3.50

There should be more gooseberries planted, the profits are immense and a hungry market awaits them.

#### RHUBARB

Each 15c; doz., \$1.50

Stems fine for stewing or for pies in early spring.

Nursery Stock Will Be Higher

Buy Now Before the Rise

All Stock Guaranteed

State Inspected

# FOR HOME GARDEN

## Aids Health and Happiness

### VARIETIES CAREFULLY GROWN

#### APPLES

100  
\$2.00  
20.00  
15.00

4 to 6 ft. ....

3 to 4 ft. ....

	each	doz.	100
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$0.50	\$5.00	\$35.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	.40	4.00	25.00

Plant 25 to 30 feet each way.

**EARLY HARVEST**—Size medium. Smooth bright straw color when ripe; flesh nearly white; flavor rather acid; fine. Season, June. Productive.

**CAROLINA RED JUNE**—Earliest large red apple. A deep solid crimson. Very fine quality. Hardy, vigorous, very productive. bears young. Most beautiful of its season; good shipper.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT**—Medium to large. One of the best of the extra early apples; waxy-yellowish white, mild acid, juicy and pleasant. Bears annually, usually starting the fourth year. Extremely hardy. Ripens in June.

**SUMMER ORANGE**—Large round, specked yellow. Fine grained, sub-acid, rich aromatic flavor. Highest quality.

**MAMMOTH BLACK TWIG**—Large tree. A regular and abundant bearer. A good winter apple. Deep red; sub-acid, very highly flavored. Winter.

**YORK IMPERIAL**—This is a fine, hardy, large, red winter apple. It succeeds over a wide range of country. The fruit is of medium size, skin yellow and almost wholly covered with two shades of red. Oct.

**KINNARD'S CHOICE**—Large, dark red; resembling the Arkansas Black. Is good for market or table.

**GRIMES GOLDEN**—Fine apple of medium size. Regular; rich golden yellow; flesh firm, crisp, aromatic, rich, quality very best Top-notcher in market. Tree hardy and productive. October and November.

**DELICIOUS**—One of the best. Large brilliant dark red, blending to a golden yellow at blossom end; unsurpassed; flavor sweet, slightly touched with acid. Flesh fine grained, crisp, juicy, melting and really delicious. Fall and Winter.

**LIVELAND RASPBERRY**—Color orange yellow, striped, splashed and shaded with red, flesh light yellow, fine, tender, juicy; flavor, sub-acid, good.

**JONATHAN**—A beautiful red apple, highly flavored and of excellent quality, being tender, juicy, spicy, and rich—a splendid family sort and highly profitable for market. Tree long lived, early bearer.



Delicious

**HORSE**—Well known yellow. Hardy and prolific, tender. Good for home and market. Mid-summer.

**WINESAP**—Red, medium to large, good keeper.

**STAYMAN'S WINESAP**—Most profitable market variety. It has large size, bright red color, great productiveness and best quality. Tree is a vigorous grower. Season November to February.

**ARK. BLACK**—Medium size, dark red, late keeper.

**CRAB APPLES**—Red and yellow Siberian, fine for jelly.

#### PEARS

Standard varieties	each	doz.
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$0.75	\$8.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	.50	5.00

**KOONCE**—Perhaps the best early pear. Medium size, yellow, June.

**LECONT**—Fruit large, prolific bearer. Very good eating quality. August.

**SECKEL**—Small, very juicy and sweet. Popular for pickling and preserving. Claimed to be the best flavored pear grown.

**PINEAPPLE**—Good for lower south or coastal plain. Blooms early, said to be blight proof. September.

**SAND**—Medium size, apple shaped. Good for Eastern Carolina and further south. Never known it to blight.

**GARBER**—Large, nearly round. Equally as hardy as Kieffer; of same class of Pears. The growth and appearance are very much like Kieffer; ripens one month sooner and of better quality.

**APRICOTS**  
A very desirable fruit, as well as beautiful and delicious, because of ripening between cherries and peaches. Being mild in flavor they make a popular dessert fruit.

	each
4 to 5 ft. ....	\$0.75
3 to 4 ft. ....	.50

#### PERSIMMONS

**JAPANESE**—Royal fruit of Japan. Fruit large as an apple. Skin a light buffish yellow, flesh dark brown, crisp, sweet and meaty.

	each
3 to 4 ft. each ....	\$1.00

#### QUINCE

A desirable fruit for canning and preserving. One of the finest flavored fruits grown, is ideal for flavoring jellies, preserves and cooked fruit.

	each
3 to 5 ft. each ....	\$0.90



Yellow Transparent

#### NUT TREES

**JAPANESE WALNUT**—Nuts produced in clusters, good quality, prolific, 75c ea.

**ENGLISH WALNUT**—A fine, lofty grown tree, with handsome, spreading head. Produces large crops of thin shelled delicious nuts. Each \$1.50.

**BLACK WALNUT**—The common walnut of the country. Needs no introduction. Each 60c.

**PECAN**—Tree tall growth, bears abundantly. Shell of nut very thin, kernel sweet and delicious. The best kinds for upper south, Stewart, Schley and Success.

	\$0.75
2 to 3 ft., each ....	\$0.75
3 to 4 ft., each ....	1.00
4 to 5 ft., each ....	1.25
5 to 6 ft., each ....	2.00

## STRAWBERRIES

\$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000

**MISSIONARY**—Standard early market variety. Bright red, conical, firm berries, shipping well; productive and profitable.

**PREMIER**—Early, large bright red. Prolific. This is the most popular early strawberry of the day. The berries are very large, long pointed, light red in color and present a good appearance in the basket and market. No other strawberry is anything near equal to it in productiveness.

**GREENSBORO**—An old standard variety. It produces wonderfully large crops of handsome dark red berries of the highest quality. The plants are medium in size, hardy, long rooted, very prolific, and will hold their own under most any rough and tumble methods of cultivation.

**LADY THOMPSON**—Large standard mid-season berry. The berries have a rich, luscious flavor all their own. Commence ripening in mid-season, bearing an enormous crop of fruit.

**GANDY**—This variety for years has ranked as leader among fancy late shipping berries. If Gandy were only a little more productive, it would continue to hold a place at the very top.



Premier



Pink Radiance

## EVERGREENS

**AMERICAN PYRAMIDALIS**—A dense compact grower, narrow and pyramidal in form. Deep rich green foliage.

**HEMLOCK**—One of the most graceful of all evergreens. Long slender, drooping branches.

**CEDRUS DEDORA**—A well known native tree; varies much in habit and color of foliage; very attractive in winter.

**IRISH JUNIPER**—Of slender columnar habit with glaucous green foliage.

**PFITZER JUNIPER**—A graceful, broad, pyramidal Evergreen with sweeping fronds of gray-green foliage.

**NORWAY**—A lofty, elegant tree of perfect pyramidal habit, exceedingly picturesque and beautiful.

## FLOWERING SHRUBS

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI**—The most charming and beautiful of all the varieties having pure white flowers in clusters. Foliage a rich green.

**PURPLE LILAC**—The well-known purple variety; always a standard sort.

**CREPE MYRTLE**—Hardy in southern sections. Free flowering. Handsome foliage. Colors, Red, White and Pink.

**FLOWERING ALMOND**—One of the first shrubs to bloom in the spring. Exquisite double rose colored flowers.

**BUTTERFLY BUSH**—Of quick bushy growth. The lovely spike-like blooms appear in July, radiating a delightful perfume.

**DEUTZIA PRIDE OF ROCHESTER**—Produces large white flowers, tinged with rose, vigorous grower.

**FLOWERING QUINCE**—One of the most brilliant flowering shrubs, covered with dazzling scarlet flowers.

**HYDRANGEA P. G.**—One of the most popular of all shrubs. Creamy white, turning in late summer to pink.

**FORSYTHIA**—Earliest of the spring flowering shrubs. They are beautiful when planted against a background of evergreens, or when used as a group.

**FLOWERING PEACH**—To those who have had the first view of a well developed tree of this kind in full bloom

## HARDY ROSES

**DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY**—Buds are handsome in shape and full—open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture.

**MRS. CHARLES BELL**—Lovely shell-pink buds and blooms with shadings of soft salmon, sweetly perfumed.

**SUNBURST**—A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose. Reddish-bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange with a deep orange center.

**MARECHAL NIEL**—Buds and flowers superb, deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. Blooms with great freedom.

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**—The best hardy, snow-white rose now known. Tremendously strong grower. Hardy anywhere.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND**—Flower bright, dark red, of medium size, fairly full; deliciously perfumed.

it appears that nothing more beautiful could possibly be found.

**JAPANESE BARBERRY, RED LEAF**—The foliage develops in the Spring, it is a rich, bronzy-red color and it retains this color all through the summer.

## SHADE TREES

**NORWAY MAPLE**—A native of Europe; a large, handsome tree, with broad, deep green, shining foliage.

**SUGAR MAPLE**—A very popular American tree, justly ranked among the best.

**SILVER LEAF MAPLE**—A hardy, rapid-growing native tree of large size.

**RED BUD, JUDAS TREE**—Medium size, with heart-shaped, leathery dark green foliage. Rose-pink flowers.

**TULIP POPLAR**—Large and stately tree with smooth bark, glossy light green leaves and spreading branches.

**LOMBARDY POPLAR**—Grows tall and symmetrical. Branches close to the ground and is fine for screen purposes.

**WEEPING WILLOW**—The well-known common Weeping Willow.

**COMMERCIAL NURSERY CO.,**

**Decherd, Tenn.**